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District Judge

Date of Birth: June 23, 1951 Education: U Washington 1975 BS, 1980 JD Began Service: September 2004 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Judicial: King County Superior Court (1990-1998) **Legal Practice:** King County Prosecutor's Office (1980-1990)

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Date of Birth: September 2, 1947 Education: Whitman 1969 BA; Georgetown 1973 JD Began Service: June 28, 2004 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

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Walter T. McGovern

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: May 24, 1922 Education: U Washington 1948 BA, 1950 LLB Began Service: May 14, 1971

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Judicial: Judge, Seattle Municipal Court (1959-1965); Judge, Washington Superior Court (1965-1968); Judge, Washington Supreme Court

Legal Practice: Kerr, McCord, Greenleaf & Moen (1950-1959)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1943-1980)

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Jack Edward Tanner

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1919 Education: U Washington 1955 LLB Began Service: June 1978 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1955-1978)

Military Service: United States Army (1943-1945) Current Memberships: National Bar Association, Washington State Bar Association

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Carolyn R. Dimmick

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929

Education: U Washington 1951 BA, 1953 JD Began Service: April 4, 1985

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Assistant Attorney General, State of Washington (1953-1954); Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, King County, State of Washington (1955-1959)

Judicial: Judge, Washington District Court, Northeast District (1965-1975); Judge, Washington Superior Court, King County (1976-1980); Justice, Washington Supreme Court (1981-1985)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1959-1960)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judges Association; American Judicature Society; National Association of Women Judges; Superior Court Judges Association; Washington State Bat Association

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Robert J. Bryan Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1934

Education: U Washington 1956 BA, 1958 JD

Began Service: 1986

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Judicial: Judge, Washington Superior Court (1967-1984)

Legal Practice: Bryan & Bryan (1959-1967); Riddell, Williams, Bullitt & Walkinshaw (1984-1986)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; Puget Sound Inn of Court

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Thomas S. Zilly

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935

Education: Michigan 1956 BA; Cornell 1962 JD

Began Service: 1988

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Judicial: Judge Pro Tem, Seattle Municipal Court (1972-1980)

Legal Practice: Lane, Powell, Moss & Miller (1962)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1956-1962)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Seattle-King County Bar Association; Washington State Bar Association

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Franklin D. Burgess

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935 Education: Gonzaga 1961 BE, 1966 JD Began Service: April 1, 1994 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Assistant City Attorney (1967-1969); Regional Counsel, Department of Housing & Urban Development (1980-1981)

Judicial: Judge Pro Tem, Municipal Court and Pierce County District Court (1971-1980); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Washington (1981-1993)

Chambers of Senior Judge Franklin D. Burgess continued

Legal Practice: Tanner & Burgess (1971-1976); Tanner, McGavick, Felker, Fleming, Burgess & Lazares (1976-1979); McGavick, Burgess, Heller & Foister (1979-1980)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1954-1958)

Current Memberships: Loren Miller Bar Association; National Conference of United States Magistrate Judges; Pierce County Bar Association; Washington State Bar Association

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J. Kelley Arnold

Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1937 Education: Idaho 1961 JD Began Service: October 28, 1994 Term Expires: October 28, 2010

Government: Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Pierce County (1963-1964)

Judicial: Judge, Washington Superior Court, Pierce County (1982-1994)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1965-1982)

Military Service: United States Army (1961-1963)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Inns of Court; Federal Magistrate Judges' Association; Tacoma-Pierce County Bar Association; Washington State Bar Association

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Monica Benton

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1954

Education: UCLA BA; Southwestern 1980 JD Began Service: February 28, 2000 Term Expires: February 2008

Academic: Government Relations Director, NDAA; Senior Attorney, ARRI

Clerkships: Clerk, United States District Court for the Western District of Washington

Government: Prosecuting Attorney, King County (1983-1995) Judicial: Judge, King County District Court (1995-2000)

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